

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 74

**WHEREAS**, Many years ago, John Daniel Jackson, Sr., and Maggie Lee James made a lifetime commitment to each other, and their mutual trust has been amply rewarded, for they recently celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary on April 15, 2005; and

**WHEREAS**, After serving in the United States Navy during World War II, John worked for the United States Postal Service for 39 years; a professional seamstress all her life, Maggie retired from Houston Community College after 26 years of teaching upholstery and drapery making; and

**WHEREAS**, The world has changed considerably during the years of their marriage, yet Mr. and Mrs. Jackson have cherished traditional family values; they have been members of Mount Moriah Baptist Church since 1952; and

**WHEREAS**, Over the years, they have grown stronger in their love and devotion as together they have experienced the joys and sorrows of everyday living; and

**WHEREAS**, John and Maggie have been blessed with a wonderful family, and they are beloved and respected by their children, John Daniel Jackson, Jr., Priscilla Ann, Loy Denise, and Kelvin Dwayne, their 11 grandchildren, and their five great-grandchildren; and

**WHEREAS**, The loving relationship that Maggie and John share is truly an inspiration to all who know them; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 79th Legislature, 1st Called Session, hereby extend sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jackson on their 57th wedding anniversary; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared for them as an expression of esteem from the Texas Senate.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the  
above Resolution was adopted by  
the Senate on July 13, 2005.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Member, Texas Senate